

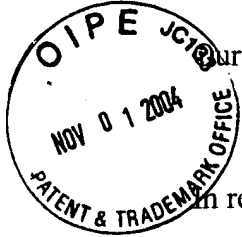
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In re Application of:

Hong Xie

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Apparatus that Increases Current
Carrying Capacity Resulting in
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